

362 Clamp Meter

Users Manual

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Introduction

△ △ Warning

Read "Safety Information" before you use the Meter.

The Fluke 362 is a hand-held, battery-operated clamp meter (the Meter) that measures:

- ac and dc current and voltage
- resistance
- continuity

The Meter ships with:

- TL19B test leads
- two AAA batteries (installed)
- 362 User Manual

Contact Fluke

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- Technical Support USA: 1-800-44-FLUKE (1-800-443-5853)
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Safety Information

A **Warning** identifies conditions and actions that pose hazard(s) to the user. A **Caution** identifies conditions and procedures that could cause Meter damage, equipment under test damage, or permanent loss of data.

Symbols used on the Meter and in this manual are explained in Table 1.

△ △ Warning

To prevent possible electrical shock or personal injury, follow these guidelines:

- Use the Meter only as specified in this manual or the protection provided by the Meter can be compromised.
- Examine the case before you use the Meter. Look for cracks or missing plastic.
 Carefully look at the insulation around the connectors.
- Never measure current while the test leads are inserted into the input jacks.
- Make sure the battery door is closed and latched before operating the Meter.
- Remove the test leads from the Meter before the battery door is opened.
- Examine the test leads for damaged insulation or exposed metal. Check test lead continuity. Replace damaged test leads before using the Meter.
- Do not use the Meter if it operates incorrectly. Protection can be compromised.
 When in doubt, have the Meter serviced.
- Do not use the Meter around explosive gas, vapor or in damp or wet environments.
- Use only type AAA batteries, properly installed in the Meter case, to power the Meter.
- When measuring, keep fingers behind the Tactile Barrier. See "The Meter" 1.

- To avoid false readings that can lead to electrical shock and injury, replace the batteries as soon as the low battery indicator () appears.
- When servicing the Meter, use only specified replacement parts.
- Have the Meter serviced only by qualified service personnel.
- Be careful around voltages > 30 V ac rms, 42 V ac peak, or 60 V dc. Such voltages pose a shock hazard.
- Do not apply more than the rated voltage, as marked on the Meter, between the terminals or between any terminal and earth ground.
- When using the probes, keep fingers behind the finger guards on the probes.
- Connect the common test lead before connecting the live test lead. When disconnecting test leads, disconnect the live test lead first.
- Do not work alone so assistance can be rendered in an emergency.
- Use extreme caution when working around bare conductors or bus bars. Contact with the conductor could result in electric shock.
- Adhere to local and national safety codes. Individual protective equipment must be used to prevent shock and arc blast injury where hazardous live conductors are exposed.
- Disconnect circuit power and discharge all high-voltage capacitors before you do diode tests or measure resistance or continuity.

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- Do not measure ac/dc current in circuits carrying more than 600 V or 200 A with the Meter Jaw.
- Never operate the Meter with the back cover removed or the case open.

∆ Caution

To avoid possible damage to the Meter or to equipment under test:

- Use the proper jacks, function, and range for the measurement application.
- Clean the case and accessories with a damp cloth and mild detergent only.
 Do not use abrasives or solvents.

Table 1. Symbols

Symbol	Meaning	Symbol	Meaning
~	AC (Alternating Current)	≟	Earth ground
Н	DC (Direct Current)	<u>A</u>	Do not dispose of this product as unsorted municipal waste. Go to Fluke's website for recycling information.
A	Hazardous voltage	C€	Conforms to European Union directives.

Symbol	Meaning	Symbol	Meaning
Δ	Risk of Danger. Important information. See Manual.		Double insulated
(±)	Battery. Low battery when shown on display.	4	Application around and removal from HAZARDOUS LIVE conductors is permitted.
CAT III	IEC Measurement Category III CAT III equipment has protection against transients in equipment in fixed-equipment installations, such as distribution panels, feeders and short branch circuits, and lighting systems in large buildings.		

Note

The Measurement Category (CAT) and voltage rating of any combination of test probe, test probe accessory, current clamp accessory, and the Meter is the LOWEST rating of any individual component.

The Meter

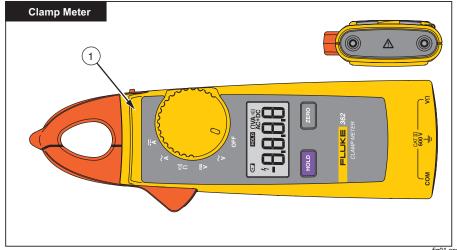


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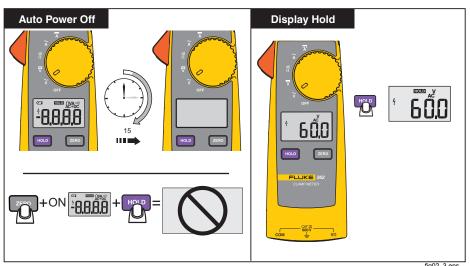
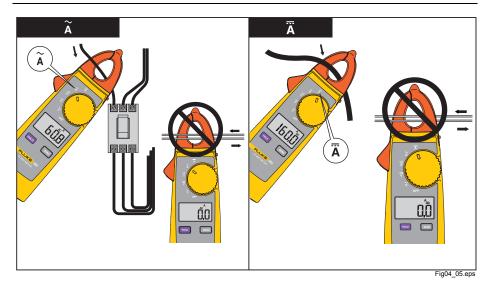
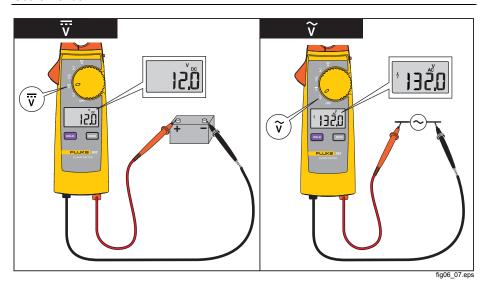
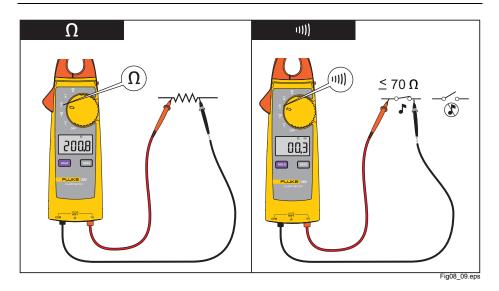


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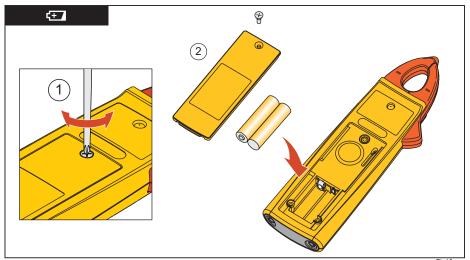


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Specifications

Electrical Specifications

AC Current

Range	200.0 A
Resolution	0.1 A
Accuracy	2 % ±5 digit (45-65 Hz)
	2.5 % ±5 digits (65-400 Hz)
DC Current	
Range	200.0 A
Resolution	0.1 A
Accuracy	2 % ±5 digit
AC Voltage	

DC Voltage

3 3 3	
Range	600.0 V
Resolution	0.1 V
Accuracy	1 % ±5 digits
Resistance	
Range	300 Ω/ 3000 Ω
Resolution	0.1 Ω/1 Ω
Accuracy	1 % ±5 digits
Continuity	
Beeper on Threshold	≤ 70 Ω
Mechanical Specifications	
Size (L x W x H)	205 x 60 x 22 mm
Weight	196 g
Jaw Opening	18 mm

Environmental Specifications

Operating Temperature	.0 °C to +40 °C
Storage Temperature	30 °C to +60 °C, 100 hours under -40 °C
Operating Humidity	Non condensing (< 10 °C)
	\leq 90 % RH (at 10 °C to 30 °C)
	≤ 75 % RH (at 30 °C to 40 °C)
	≤ 45 % RH (at 40 °C to 50 °C)
	(Without Condensation)
Operating Altitude	2000 meters
Storage Altitude	12,000 meters
IP Rating	.IP 30 per IEC60529:2001; Case
Vibration Requirements	MIL-T-28800E, Class 2
	MIL-T-28800E, Class 3

EMI, EMC	EN61326-1:2006
Temperature Coefficients	.Add 0.1 x specified accuracy for each degree C above
	28 °C or below 18 °C
Safety Specifications	
Safety Compliance	.ANSI/ISA S82.02.01:2004
	CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 61010-1-04
	IEC/EN 61010-1:2001
	CAT III 600V
	Pollution Degree 2
	C€
Batteries	.2 AAA